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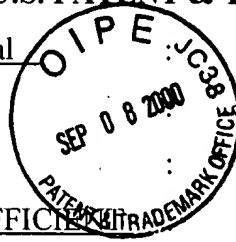
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Listed on the accompanying form PTO-1449 are documents that are being submitted for consideration under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. Copies of the documents are enclosed.

The Examiner's attention is directed to the following pending allowed patent application, Serial Number 08/918,390 filed on August 26, 1997, with a request that the Examiner consider it.

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